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(FORMERLY THE CIA/IMAGERY ANALYSIS DIVISION):

REFERENCE: **NPIC 9843**, DATED 11 FEBRUARY 1967.

1. CIA/IAS IS IN GENERAL AGREEMENT WITH THE OVERALL APPARENT
FUSELAGE AND WINGSPAN IMAGE DIMENSIONS AND APPROXIMATE LEADING
EDGE WING SWEEPBACK ANGLE OF THE AIRCRAFT OBSERVED AT HSI-AN/
YEN-LIANG AIRFIELD, CHINA, 34 39N-109 16E

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2. WE DO NOT AGREE THAT THIS IS A NEW GENERATION AIRCRAFT,
BUT RATHER THE CONFIGURATION SUGGESTS A POSSIBLE MODIFIED
"FARMER". THE NUMBER AND PLACEMENT OF ENGINES, INTAKES AND
EXHAUSTS CANNOT BE DETERMINED; WE SEE NO EVIDENCE THAT THERE
ARE INTAKES AND EXHAUSTS FORWARD AND AFT OF THE WING ROOTS
RESPECTIVELY.

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